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REPORT

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COUNTRY Trieste/Datelline Countries

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INTELLOFAX SUBJECT

Shipment of Telephone Switchboards

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from Hungary to Albania

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- On 5 February 1951, a number of boxes, originating in Budapest and listed as containing telephone switchboards, arrived in the port of Trieste for shipment by Tergestea to Albania.
- Six large boxes, measuring 6' X 4' X 4', contained switchboards, and the small boxes, measuring 2' X 2' X 2', contained telephone switchboard test sets.
- 3. All the material was packed in a double box arrangement, with each box lined with thick ter paper and heavily scaled with ter for waterproofing. Excelsior was packed between the inside and outside boxes and also around the equipment in the inside box. All the boxes were serially numbered in such a manner as to permit one complete installation to be immediately selected and set up. The boxes all were stamped STANDARD, Budapest.*
- 4. The instruments themselves were of a type similar to those used in British Army trucks, having a capacity of 90 lines and 12 trunks each. The encasing woodwork was highly polished and panelled and appeared to be for inside installation. Connected in a series, the equipment would be sufficient to fulfill the needs of a small city or an Army Corps HC. It was noted that the power for the equipment could be derived from either local current or a battery system.

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Standard Villamossagi r.t., Budapest XI, Fehervari 70, is listed as an electrical company.

